

GRP
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS FROM THE TELECONFERENCE

Q1. Does a renter have to sign-off on the GRP contract?

A1. No – the renter does not need to participate and/or sign-off as taking a 0% share in the rental payment. The contract holder should let the renter know that there may be issues with the conservation plan that the renter needs to be aware of and knowledgeable about to remain in compliance.

Q2. Is proof of ownership required?

A2. NRCS needs to be assured that the contract holder either owns or has control of the land for the period of the agreement. If FSA has records that show the participant as the landowner we can use FSA documentation for this item. Note in the case file notes that FSA records show the participant as the landowner. If that documentation is not present at FSA we will need the contract holder to provide it.

Q3. When is the first payment made?

A3. FSA will be making the payments on the anniversary date of contract approval (one year from the date Mr. Hunt signs the CCC-920)

Q4. Does FSA need to determine an official acreage for the contract?

A4. Yes, we are using FSA to determine an official acreage for each area enrolled and the contract total. NRCS needs to work with FSA to exclude any areas determined as ineligible and exclude them from the contract acreage. It is assumed that the participant will be required to pay FSA for the acreage determination, which should be done from the office.